

**To:** Rex Kontz[RexK@ntua.com]  
**Cc:** Yolanda Barney[ybarney@navajopublicwater.org]; Lee, Bessie[Lee.Bessie@epa.gov]; Chischilly[mchischilly@navajopublicwater.org]; Rayni Nelson[raynis@ntua.com]; Wise, Robert[Wise.Robert@epa.gov]; Nattis, Randy[Nattis.Randy@epa.gov]; Allen, HarryL[Allen.HarryL@epa.gov]  
**From:** Li, Corine  
**Sent:** Mon 8/10/2015 3:19:58 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Water on Navajo

Apologize for the cryptic message and typos in my iPhone response. Please let me know if there is any assistance that you need. I will be monitoring my email for updates and will pass on any pertinent information. Bessie will be at Navajo working with Yolanda on Monday to assist with dw response and recovery.

**From:** Rex Kontz [mailto:RexK@ntua.com]  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 7:17 PM  
**To:** Li, Corine  
**Cc:** Yolanda Barney; Lee, Bessie; Chischilly; Rayni Nelson; Wise, Robert; Nattis, Randy; Allen, HarryL  
**Subject:** RE: Water on Navajo

Thanks we touched bases and started the support. Thank you.

Rex

**From:** Li, Corine [mailto:Li.Corine@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 7:24 PM  
**To:** Rex Kontz  
**Cc:** Yolanda Barney; Lee, Bessie; Chischilly; Rayni Nelson; Wise, Robert; Nattis, Randy; Allen, HarryL  
**Subject:** Re: Water on Navajo

I've forwarded your concerns desire for the sharing of sampling results and to be kept apprised of leading edge and the passage of slug down San Juan river.

Rob wise our emergency response coordinator will be contacting you shortly to discuss water needs for montezuma creek and aneth communities.

I let the know if your need for added water haulers.  
Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 9, 2015, at 4:51 PM, Rex Kontz <[RexK@ntua.com](mailto:RexK@ntua.com)> wrote:

The how long question will be answered by what the residual effect is. We are doing base line testing in front of the plume so we have a comparison for after plume passes. So we can see residual and get a predictor to when things will return to normal. From several update meeting yesterday, I did not hear of anyone else doing baseline testing. Testing happening during and after but before. So not sure how they will get residual impact numbers. Maybe someone is but no reports I heard. The guy from USEPA there really had no response or data to questions asked.

The water hauling were going to be doing will keep the normal system operation going.... So I heard they had a tanker out there but everyone connected to the system can keep using it normally for their domestic purposes. Our staff will be coordinating to make presentation to the chapters in the next couple days.

Rex

**From:** Yolanda Barney [<mailto:ybarney@navajopublicwater.org>]  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 09, 2015 3:37 PM  
**To:** Rex Kontz  
**Subject:** Fw: Water on Navajo

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**From:** "Li, Corine" <[Li.Corine@epa.gov](mailto:Li.Corine@epa.gov)>  
**To:** Yolanda Barney <[ybarney@navajopublicwater.org](mailto:ybarney@navajopublicwater.org)>; Chischilly <[mchischilly@navajopublicwater.org](mailto:mchischilly@navajopublicwater.org)>  
**Cc:** "Lee, Bessie" <[Lee.Bessie@epa.gov](mailto:Lee.Bessie@epa.gov)>  
**Sent:** Sunday, August 9, 2015 3:28 PM  
**Subject:** FW: Water on Navajo

Yolanda

Many concerns raised about Navajo systems in need of water (Halcito, Aneth, Montezuma Creek). In some cases, it appears that San Juan County Emergency Management is providing water due to wells being shut down. They want to know how long it will be before the system in back online given the startup of school and increased demand.

soon. Might you be able to confirm and

-----Original Message-----

From: Wise, Robert

Sent: Sunday, August 09, 2015 2:23 PM

To: Li, Corine

Subject: Re: Water on Navajo

County Emergency Management confirmed. Navajo Utilities shut of wells today. If other entities need water please let me know ASAP.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Aug 9, 2015, at 2:41 PM, "Li, Corine" <[Li.Corine@epa.gov](mailto:Li.Corine@epa.gov)> wrote:

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> Yolanda -

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> Can you confirm that City of Montezuma on Navajo is in need of water? It was not identified earlier and thus, I did not include in the draft spreadsheet of potentially impacted water sources that I sent earlier today.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Manzanilla, Enrique

> Sent: Sunday, August 09, 2015 1:29 PM

> To: Li, Corine

> Cc: Montgomery, Michael; Allen, HarryL; Wise, Robert; Nattis, Randy; Harris-Bishop, Rusty

> Subject: Fw: Water on Navajo

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> From: Manzanilla, Enrique

> Sent: Sunday, August 9, 2015 12:52 PM

> To: Blumenfeld, Jared; Zito, Kelly

> Cc: Yogi, David; Hubbard, Secody; Allen, HarryL; Keener, Bill; Harris-Bishop, Rusty; Higuchi, Dean

> Subject: Fw: Water on Navajo

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> Let me confirm and get more details before we share externally.

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> From: Wise, Robert

> Sent: Sunday, August 9, 2015 12:37 PM

> To: Nattis, Randy; Allen, HarryL; Guria, Peter; Manzanilla, Enrique; Ron

McManamy; Myers, Craig

> Subject: Water on Navajo

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> The UT San Juan Co. Emergency Management is providing water to the City of Montezuma on the Navajo Nation and they need us to take it over. I'm initiating water distribution for the Navajo Nation.

> Sent from my iPhone